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Washington Post: [Hundreds protest on UNC campus against Confederate statue](#)

Washington Post: [After Duke incident, rival UNC considers whether to remove Confederate statue](#)

International Business Times: [Charlottesville-Like Rally At University Of North Carolina? Social Media Rumors Suggest](#)

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AP: [Hundreds protest on UNC campus against Confederate statue](#)

Elizabeth City Daily Advance: [Forest: Cooper wrong on monuments](#)

News and Observer: ['Tear it down': Protesters gather at Silent Sam statue on UNC campus](#)

News and Observer: [UNC declines Cooper's invitation to remove 'Silent Sam' Confederate memorial](#)

News and Observer: [UNC Chapel Hill puts fence around Silent Sam Confederate statue before Tuesday rally](#)

Durham Herald-Sun: [Why UNC says 'Silent Sam' Confederate statue should stay up, for now](#)

Durham Herald-Sun: [The long and controversial life of "Silent Sam"](#)

Durham Herald-Sun: [Silent Sam draws protesters, opinions on social media](#)

Durham Herald-Sun: [UNC campus braces for Silent Sam rally](#)

Wilmington Star-News: [OPINION: Avoid the hypocrisy of selective outrage](#)

Wilkes Journal-Patriot: [Opinions shifting fast on Confederate monuments](#)

WRAL: [Editorial: Legal bickering distracts from resolving Confederate monument removal](#)

WRAL: [UNC student arrested after hundreds protest at UNC-Chapel Hill Silent Sam monument](#)

WTVD: [Protest continues at UNC Silent Sam statue; 3 arrests made](#)

WFMY: [UNC Protesters Vow This Will Be The Last Semester 'Silent Sam' Statue Is On Campus](#)

WXII: [Large crowds gather in Chapel Hill to protest UNC's 'Silent Sam' statue](#)

WCNC: [Arrests after clashes at 'Silent Sam' statue rally at UNC, reports say](#)

WNCN: [Rally to remove UNC's 'Silent Sam' has University leaders' attention](#)

Daily Tar Heel: [Loud cries denounce Silent Sam](#)

Daily Tar Heel: [Legal issues complicate Silent Sam's removal](#)

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Daily Tar Heel: [DTH at a Glance: Suns and statues](#)

The Seahawk: [Charlottesville and Confederate statues](#)

Independent Weekly: [UNC Readies for Confederate Monument Protest Tonight](#)

Progressive Pulse: [UNC Professor on Silent Sam, Confederate monuments: "They should come down."](#)

North State Journal: [Gov. Cooper gives UNC green light to remove 'Silent Sam', UNC holds off, citing 2015 law](#)

Online/Magazines

Politico: [Democratic gubernatorial candidates plunge into Confederate fight](#)

The Hill: [Protests erupt in North Carolina over Confederate statue](#)

Inside Higher Ed: [Tensions grow over Confederate statue at UNC](#)

Chronicle of Higher Education: [UNC Says It Can't Legally Remove Confederate Statue, Despite Governor's Guidance](#)

Huffington Post: [Pain and Shame: Let Us Claim a New Beginning](#)

Refinery 29: [UNC Won't Take Down This Confederate Statue Despite "Safety & Security Threats"](#)

## American Lens: [6 Things Gov. Cooper Can Do Today to Erase Racial Legacy in Our State](#)

### REDISTRICTING

AP: [North Carolina legislative map favors GOP, but how much?](#)

AP: [NC Senate releases legislative district map rewrite](#)

Wall Street Journal: [North Carolina Lawmakers Rush to Pass New District Maps](#)

News and Observer: [Here's what the public had to say about GOP redistricting plans](#)

News and Observer: [GOP-drawn districts not much better than before](#)

Durham Herald-Sun: [Political data released on proposed NC maps. Find out which way your district leans](#)

Greensboro News and Record: [Our Opinion: Maps, good and bad](#)

Greensboro News and Record: [Redistricting crowd sent to 'overflow' room](#)

Greenville Daily Reflector: [ENC Republicans join criticism of redistricting plan](#)

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Southern Pines Pilot: [Plan Puts Moore in New Senate District](#)

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WRAL: [New legislative maps crack door for Democrats ... or do they?](#)

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Spectrum News: [Public set to weigh in on redistricting maps](#)

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News and Observer: [Are Cooper's lawsuits an attempt to seize more power?](#)

Politifact: [NC Rep. Lewis says Gov. Cooper has filed 'nearly one lawsuit a month' to seize power](#)

### VISITS TO PRISONS

Governing: [Governors Pay Prisoners Face-to-Face Visits](#)

Palmetto Business Daily: [Cooper visits transitional house for ex-convicts](#)

### ELECTIONS BOARDS

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WTVR: [Thousands urge Virginia governor to stop natural-gas pipeline plan](#)

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